

DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM RENNICK RALSTON

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1.WILLIAM RENNICK RALSTON

William Rennick Ralston was born in Highland County VA in March 1859. He married Samantha Bush in Gilmer County WV November 17, 1881. Rebecca, a daughter of George Farley and Joanna (Springston) Bush, was born in VA July 8, 1862 and died in Gilmer County before March 28, 1897.

William married Malinda Harden in Gilmer County March 28, 1897. Malinda, a daughter of Franklin and Eliza Harden, was born in WV in May 1869 and died in Gilmer County before 1910.

William married Martha (Bennett) Wilt in Gilmer County February 3, 1916. Martha, a daughter of Samuel and Annary Bennett, was born in Gilmer County WV in February 1883. She had married Laco Wilt in Gilmer County December 7, 1902. Laco was born in WV about 1881 and died in Gilmer County before February 1916.

Children of William Rennick and Rebecca (Bush) Ralston.

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| 2. | (1). | John Delford | b. Mar | 1885 |
| 3. | (2). | Jesse Hugh | b. Aug | 1888 |
| 4. | (3). | Daisy May | b. Mar | 1891 |
| 5. | (4). | Forest Earl | b. Feb | 1894 |

Children of William Rennick and Malinda (Harden) Ralston.

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| 6. | (1). | Clara Bell | b. Apr | 1898 |
| 7. | (2). | Frank | b.c. | 1900 |
| 8. | (3). | Allie | b.c. | 1901 |
| 9. | (4). | Ruby | b.c. | 1903 |
| 10. | (5). | Ray | b.c. | 1905 |
| 11. | (6). | Clida | b.c. | 1908 |

Children of Laco and Martha (Bennett) Wilt.
(step children of William Rennick Ralston.)

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| 12. | (1). | Euna | b.c. | 1904 |
| 13. | (2). | Mabel | b.c. | 1906 |
| 14. | (3). | Anary
m. George Stewart | b.c. | 1908 |
| 15. | (4). | Gail | b.c. | 1911 |

Children of William Rennick and Martha (Bennett) [Wilt] Ralston.

16. (1). Stella b.c. 1921

17. (2). Crystal Martha b. Oct 19 1921 d. Feb 14 2012
m. Leo Paige Hinzman Sep 28 1940

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